

## Message Text

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R 181755Z JUL 77  
FM AMEMBASSY RABAT  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2547  
AMEMBASSY ALGIERS  
AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

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FOR AMBASSADOR HARTMAN FROM BOB ANDERSON

E. O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OTRA OVIP AG MO MR FR  
SUBJ: PARIS MEETING OF AMBASSADORS

REF: PARIS 20716

1. THANKS FOR THE GREEN LIGHT.  
  
2. I AM NOT ONE TO PASS UP LIGHTLY A HARTMAN LUNCHEON,  
MOREOVER, ONE TO WHICH WE COULD SUGGEST SOME FRENCH  
INVITEES\* HOWEVER, I AM ALREADY A LITTLE CONCERNED ABOUT  
THE POSSIBLE MISCONSTRUAL OR EXPLOITATION OF OUR CONCLAVE  
BY ANY OF SEVERAL COUNTRIES AND THE ADDITION OF THE FRENCH  
ANGLE, IN MY VIEW, WOULD JUST NOT BE WORTH THE RISK. I  
DEFER TO MY COLLEAGUES IN ALGIERS AND NOUAKCHOTT BUT  
WOULD PERSONALLY PREFER TO STICK TO AN ALL-AMERICAN CONTEXT.  
BY FRIDAY NOON, JULY 29 THE THREE OF US SHOULD HAVE  
ARRIVED AT A COMMON APPRECIATION OF THE PROBLEMS IN  
THE AREA AND WHAT WE COULD OR SHOULD NOT DO ABOUT  
THEM. IF YOU ARE FREE FOR LUNCH ON THAT DAY, WE  
COULD REVIEW OUR THINKING WITH YOU AND PROFIT FROM  
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YOUR AND BOB MELONE'S WISDOM ON THE FRENCH PERSPECTIVE.

3. BEFORE LEAVING FOR PARIS, I INTEND TO MENTION THE  
TRIP IN LOW-KEY TERMS TO A SENIOR MEMBER OF THE GOM  
LEST POSSIBLE LATER REPORTS ON IT LEAD TO MISINTER-  
PRETATION HERE. I WILL POINT OUT THAT I AM GOING TO  
PARIS PRIMARILY TO MEET FOR THE FIRST TIME OUR NEW AMBASSADOR TO

ALGIERS AND TO REVIEW US-MOROCCAN RELATIONS WITH HIM.

4. LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU NEXT WEEK.

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